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Disappearance of Prospective Ton nage Stirs Roads to Action-Big Increase in Values.

Portland, Ore., June 7.—Realizing that with the burning of every thousand feet of standing timber there is a loss of labor amounting to \$8, that stumpage values decrease \$2, and the railroads see the vanishing of tonnage which cannot be replaced for many years, the necessity of adopting safety measures for the prevention of the re-petition of the fires of 1902 has led to the organization of several cooperative associations. Emyen's Paw I'm Fills InABOX 10-4

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Oregon and Washington in 1902 helplessly watched the gigantic confla grations which wiped out a large amount of the visible assets of the states, and also resulted in the destruction of two towns, Springwater, Or., and Brush Prairie, Wash., more than 20 lives being lost.

That fire occurred in a dry season in the mountains, and was only one of the many which raged along the Cas-cades and adjacent ranges. It is said by timber cruisers and millmen from the upper waters of the rivers of the two states that the year 1910 is thus far a duplicate of the conditions which made possible the losses of that sea-

Anticipating the danger which is ure to exist, an effective system of patrol is being placed in operation, the railroads, timber owners, state and county organizations joining with the starting up. "What on earth is your daughter trying to play now?" "It's an exercise," said little Elsie's forest service in an endeavor to prenother, beaming with maternal pride, vent the occurrence of fires and to con trol those which may be started. 'First Steps in Music'?" repeated the harassed neighbor. "Well, dear,

Many of the large railroads on the Coast have begun clearing their rights of way of all inflammable material for a distance of 100 feet on either side of the center of the track, equipping their engines with spark arresters and in structing train crews and employes in fire fighting. Sparks from railroad engines have proved the greatest cause of fires, and are followed by donkey engines, hunters' and campers' fires, mill smokestacks and lightning. One of the destructive fires of the Coos Bay re-gion was caused by a settler knocking the ashes from his pipe among the dry leaves and twigs beside a log on which

he was resting.

An effort will be made to keep in touch with slash burnings made by settlers and to warn all persons entering the forests of this state of the necessity of exercising care in handling fire. The forest lands are now plastered with warning signs.
In this manner it is hoped to save

the tremendouus values which are becoming svailable with the development of railroads. Timber sections which at one time sold in Oregon for \$500 have recently changed hands for as much as \$160,000. On that basis the prevention of forest fires becomes a matter of stern business.

MISS MORGAN OBSERVER

Daughter of Financier Mingles With Aqueduct Laborers.

New York, June 7 .- To see with her own eyes the conditions under which the men who are building the Catskill aqueduct to New York City are working, Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of J. P. Morgan, went 500 feet below the surface of Rondout valley today talked for hours with gangs of Italians and negroes.

Accompanying her were Miss Franes Keller, secretary of the State Immigration department, and Dr. David Flynn, sanitary superintendent of the board of water supply. The trip was made as a result of a criticism published by Miss Keller in a magazine ar-

Miss Morgan had little to say of her observations, but she praised the engineers and begged them to "be kind to the poor fellows."

President Returns Home. A Pleasing Sense of Health and Washington, June 7 .- President Taft returned to Washington tonight at 8:44 o'clock from his Western trip. He went directly to the White house, declaring he intended to see no one this Bushby?" asked one of the summer

evening. The president was highly pleased with the enthusiasm shown by the crowds that greeted him at the railroad station at which his train stopped imitation of Mrs. Crane's air as she today. Although there was a steady downpour of rain, cheering crowds hailed Mr. Taft, who spoke briefly at

buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. several points. Madriz Ready for Mediation. Bluefields, Nic., June 7.-General Estrada, leader of the provisional gov- gon driven by Lucy Grant's boy twice

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The conditions of his proposal provide for the friendly mediation of the United States, that country to design nate the Nicaraguan whom it considers most fit to occupy the presidency provisionally, neither Dr. Madriz nor General Estrada being eligible; the provisional president to convoke elections for a constitutional president.

Steamer Brings \$900,000. Dawson, Y. T., June 7 .- The steamer Schwatka arrived from Fairbanks yesterday, the first boat of the year from the lower Yukon. The Schwatka brought \$900,000 of Tanana gold for Seattle. The gold is being shipped this year by express. The next steam er will bring \$1,000,000 of Fairbanks

dust. The Schwatka sailed immediately for the Iditarod, carrying 35 pas-sengers to that point and 15 to other \$35.59 Each Man's Portion.

Washington, June 7.—Treasury offi-cials figure that if all the money in circulation in the United States were divided equally, every man, woman and child would have \$35.59. The total amount in general circulation is \$319,-382,284, of which \$298,076,537 was held in the treasury as assets of the

THINGS WORTH KNOWING. Only 514 per cent of the total area

of the world is tillable. The mines of Butte, Mont., have a combined pay roll of \$3,000,000 a year. The Argentine Legislature is considering the construction of under-

ground railways for Buenos Ayres. It is just being realized that the Trans-Siberian Railroad was a pour lob from an engineering standpoint.

The observed rate for the sound of "a" in "great" is 420, and for the sound of "a" in "ma," 770 waves a

The telephone and telegraph wires of the United States would encirale the earth at the equator more than 600 times

To prevent the alteration of checks or other valuable papers an inventive genius has brought out an electric apparatus which burns tiny holes in the paper as the inscription is written. Electricity has at last been applied

e the Teddy bear, a Maryland man having patented one that opens its jaws and flashes lights from its eyes, nose and mouth, when a battery in its interior is pressed. The work on the Jungfrau Railway is progressing so rapidly that it will

probably be opened next year to Jungfrau Joch, where a station and hotel accommodating 200 persons have been hown out of the solid rock. Though hydrophobia has been stamped out of Britain, it is still ram-

pant in Germany, where every year over 2,500 dogs and cats afflicted with the disease are destroyed.

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clated it. "She was aching to get back to Nashuy the whole enduring time," said one of Mrs. Crane's Bushby

residents, curlously.

"She said she 'didn't get the news o' the day quick enough to suit her," quoted the neighbor, with as near an could manage.

"As I said to my Asy, what on earth she wanted more than we have in the way o' news-spreaders here, I don't "When you consider that there are

five telephones in town, a grocery waa week, Lucy Grant herself to sew for everybody in town by the day, and all taking milk from Jed Kimball, I don't know how we could be any better fixed. I call anybody that wants more news 'e the day than Bushby folks get a mits too prying myself."

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were going to bring a friend to take Press. dinner with us, and I've laid myself out to get a good meal. Where is he? "Go! "Arabella." answered Mr. Quinby, "I said I'd like to bring a friend. I "The "The Nebula."
"What's the explanation?"
"Why, some day, I hope, it will grow
to be a World, a Globe, a Star, a Sua, couldn't find any to bring. If dinner is ready let's eat. I'm hungry,"-Chicago Tribune.

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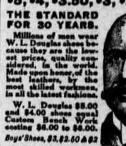
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